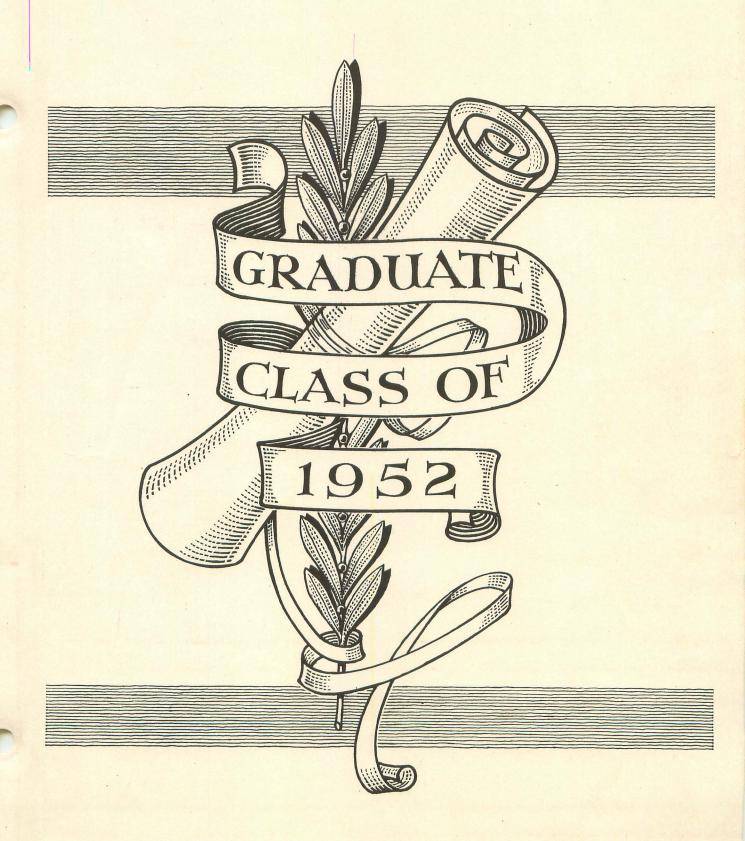


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DEDICATION

TO OUR PARENTS, AS A TESTIMONIAL OF SINCERE APPRECIATION FOR THEIR LOVING CARE AND CHRISTIAN GUIDANCE, WHO BY THEIR PATIENCE AND SACRIFICES HAVE SET THE BASIS FOR SUCCESSFUL HIGH SCHOOL CAREERS AND FOR OUR FUTURES, WE, THE CLASS OF NINETEEN-FIFTY-TWO. RESPECTFULLY DEDICATE THIS ANNUAL.

Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Aman

Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Beaver

Mr. & Mrs. John Bell

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Cofell

Mr. & Mrs. Ed N. Davis

Mr. & Mrs. J. O. Dockter

Mr. & Mrs. R. E. Evans

Mr. & Mrs. Merle Gerdon

Mr. & Mrs. Darwin Hatfield

Mr. & Mrs. John Helder

Mr. & Mrs. Waldron Higgs

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Houghton

Mr. & Mrs. Jay M. Kendall

Rev. & Mrs. John Kern

Mr. & Mrs. A. T. Kosel

Mrs. Earl Kruse

Mr. & Mrs. Carl Maack

Mrs. Eleanor Neumann

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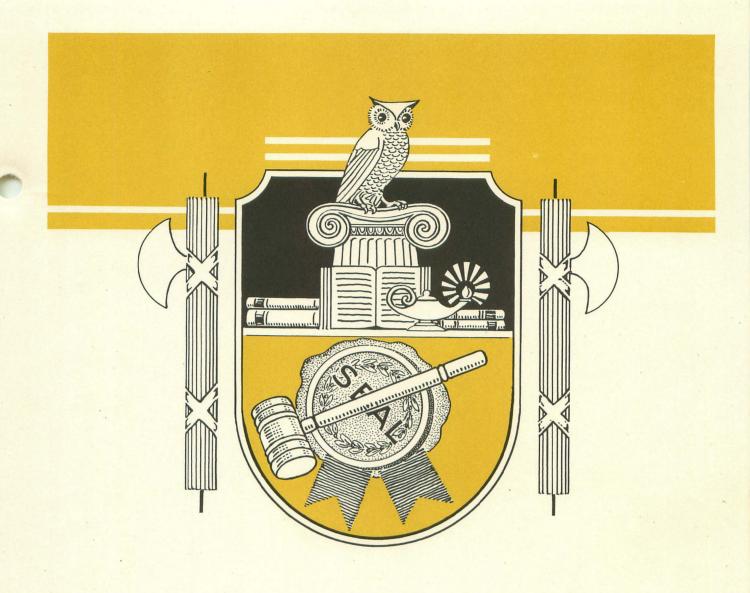
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Schaller

Mr. & Mrs. Carl Heine Mr. & Mrs. Robert Schonberger

Mr. & Mrs. Emil Trautman

Mr. & Mrs. Theo Vick

Mr. & Mrs. Adam Wagner



ADMINISTRATION



Clifford Isachsen



Winton Melby



Raymond Shelver



Loren Johnson



Mina C. Onsrud



E. C. Ingvalson



Mary F. Strand



Laura Vix



Opal Brouillard



SENIORS



Norman Aman "First"

Stand back there! Make room for a man!!

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Band	1-2-3-4
Band Festival	1-2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Student Manager-Football	2-3-4
Junior Frolics	3
Microphone Staff	4

Lawrence Beaver "Fat"

Early to bed and early to rise-and you'll miss a lot of interesting things that don't go on in the day-time.

L-2-3-4
L-2-3-4
L-2-3-4
3
4
4
4





Grace Bell "Gracie"

My idea of an agreeable person is one who agrees with me.

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Triple Trio	3
Band	1-2-3-4
Band Festival	1-2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Twirling	1-2-3-4
Volleyball	2-3-4
"Old Doc"	3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	4
Speech Festival	4
Senior Speech Program	2-4
Junior Frolics	3 4
Keystone	4
Secretary-treasurer	3
Vice President	3
Cardinal Typist	
Microphone Staff	4
Office Helper	4



Kendel Cofell "Ken"

You gotta be a good football player to get along with the beautiful girls.

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Football	1-2-3-4
Junior Frolics	3
Microphone Staff	4

Newton Davis "Newt"

Sorta sleepy, sorta shy, never cares to ask you why.

Football	1-2-3-4
Baskethall	1
"Old Doe"	3
"The Forgotten Man"	4
4-H	1-2-3-4
Microphone Staff	4

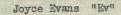


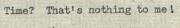


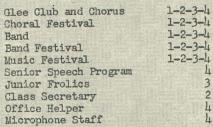
Kenneth Dockter "Satch"

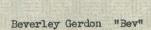
He's a wonderful talker who has the art of telling you nothing.

Football	1-2-3
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	2-3-4
Band	1
Junior Play	3
Boy Scouts	1-2-3-4
Microphone Staff	4









Every lassie has her laddie.

	1-2-3-4
	1-2-3-4
"Old Doc"	3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	4
Senior Speech Program	4
Junior Frolics	3
Secretary-treasurer-Canteer	
Oompah Queen Candidate	1
Girls' State	3
Office Helper	3-4
Cardinal Staff	2-4
Microphone Staff	4



Peggy Hatfield "Peg"

Self-trust is the first secret of success.

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Triple Trio	3
"Old Doc"	3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	4
Senior Speech Program	14
Speech Festival	4
Junior Frolics	3
Cheerleader	3-4
Class Vice President	2
Girls! State	3
Keystone	3
Office Helper	4
Cardinal Staff	1-2-3-4
Microphone Staff	14









JoAnne Heine

Live, Love, and Learn.

Band	2-3-4
Band Festival	2-3-4
Music Festival	2-3-4
Volleyball	2-3-4
Senior Speech Program	4
Microphone Staff	4
Office Helper	4
4-н	1-2-3-4

Jack Helder "Jock"

Oh, why should life all labor be?

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Football	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2-3-4
Student Manager-Basketball	2-3
"Old Doc"	3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	4
"The Forgotten Man"	4
Boys State	3
President	3
Cardinal Staff	4
Microphone Staff	4





Robert Higgs "Bob"

I'll settle down with a right good right, to love but one both day and night.

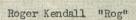
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Choral Festival	2-3-4
Music Festival	2-3-4
Football	1-2-3-4
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2-3-4
"Old Doe"	3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	3
"The Forgotten Man"	4
Junior Frolics	3
Vice President	1
Boys' State	3
Oompah King Candidate	ı
Cardinal Staff	4
Microphone Staff	4



Elizabeth Houghton "Betty"

She wants her own way in everything, and what's more, she'll have it:

Band	1-2-3-4
Band Festival	1-2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Twirling	1-2-3-4
Senior Speech Program	2-4
"Old Doe"	3
Junior Frolics	3
Council Member-Canteen	L.
Office Helper	2-4
Cardinal Staff	\tilde{l}_i
Microphone Staff	$\overline{4}$



Whott say?

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Band	2-3-4
Band Festival	2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Track	1
Cheerleader	4
"The Imaginary Invalid"	4
"The Forgotten Man"	4
Junior Frolics	3
Council Member-Canteen	4
Cardinal Staff	4
Microphone Staff	4





Stanley Kern "Stub"

He is always in such perfect good humor.

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Band	1-2
Band Festival	1-2
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Football	2-3-4
Basketball	3-4
Track	2-3-4
Student Manager-Basketball	14
"Old Doc"	3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	3 4
Junior Frolics	3
Boys' State	3
Cheerleader	1
Cardinal Staff	4
Microphone Staff	$\vec{1}_{4}$



Verna Kosel

Of even temper, naturally good.

"Old Doc"	3
Senior Speech Program	4
Volleyball	4
4-H	1
Farmer's Union	1
Office Helper	2

Don McShane "Shandy"

I wish they would be quiet and let me drink my tea!

Football	1-2-3-4
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2-3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	4
Junior Frolics	3
Cardinal Staff	2
Microphone Staff	1,





Lorna Maack "L. B."

Thank heaven for co-education. It is the one thing that breaks the monotony of classes.

Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
Band	2-3-4
Band Festival	2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
"Old Doc"	3
"The Forgotten Man":	3
Senior Speech Program	1
Junior Frolics	3
Office Helper	3-4
Ass't. Editor-Cardina	
Class Reporter	i
Microphone Staff	$\bar{\lambda}$



Marilyn Neumann "Neumie"

A jolly lass, quite full of fun, and always nice to everyone.

Band	1-2-3-4
Band Festival	1-2-3-4
Music Festival	1-2-3-4
Cheerleader	3-4
Volleyball	2-3-4
"Old Dog"	3
"The Imaginary Invalid"	Į,
Senior Speech Program	li.
Junior Frolics	3
Class President	1-4
Class Secretary-treasurer	3
President-Teen Canteen	Į.
Keystone	4
Office Helper	4
Cardinal Staff	4
Microphone Editor	L

DeLores Nitschke

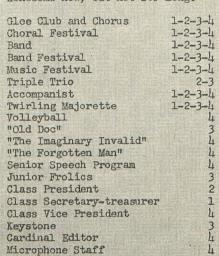
She says not much, but thinks the more.

Senior Speech Pro	gram 4
Microphone Staff	4



Esther Schaller "Es"

Lonesome now, but not for long.









Robert Schonberger "Schonie"

Give me romance or give me death.

	Glee Club and Chorus	1-2-3-4
	Choral Festival	1-2-3-4
	Band	1-2-3-4
	Band Festival	1-2-3-4
	Music Festival	1-2-3-4
	Football	i
	Basketball	1-2
	Track	ī
	Golf	
		2-3-4
	"Old Doc"	3
	"The Imaginary Invalid"	4
	Junior Frolics	3
	Cardinal Editor	4
	Boys! State	3
2	Boy Scouts	1
1	Microphone Staff	1

Alfred Trautman "Alfy"

Women? Shux, they don't bother me.

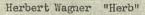
Glee Club and Chorus	2-3-4
Choral Festival	3-4
Music Festival	2-3-4
Junior Frolics	3
Microphone Staff	4



Shirley Vick

She's in there pitching.

Glee Club and Chorus Choral Festival Band Festival Band Music Festival	1-2-3-4 1-2-3-4 1-2-3-4 1-2-3-4 1-2-3-4
Twirling Volleyball Triple Trio "Old Doc" "The Imaginary Invalid"	1-2-3 4 3 3 4
Senior Speech Program Junior Frolics Keystone Office Helper Cardinal Staff Microphone Staff	4 3 4 3→14 14 14



No sinner and no saint perhaps, and yet the very best of chaps.

Glee Club	2
Football	2-3-4
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2-3-4
Junior Frolics	3
Keystone	4
Boys! State	3
Boy Scouts	1- 2
Microphone Staff	4









Class Flower

White Gladiola

Class Colors

Navy blue and white

Class Motto

"On the side of faith, not fear."

Class Officers

Marilyn Neumann Esther Schaller Grace Bell

President Vice-President Secretaty-Treasurer

Class Poem

We, the Seniors of Fifty-two, Bid a fond and sad farewell to you. Of trouble and strife we gave you a share. But your justice was always impartial and fair.

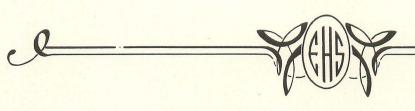
We now have to leave you, And fare life alone. Our hearts filled with courage And confidence grown.

For the help you have given us, For the time and the pains. We can but humbly thank you Again and again.

What we will make of ourselves In the world of stress, Is the result of the training Of E. H. S.

J.C.H.







Class History

An eventful day, September 7, 1948, saw thirty-three starry-eyed freshmen begin their four years of high school. We elected as our class officers: Marilyn Neumann, president; Bob Higgs, vice president; and Esther Schaller, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Shelver was our class advisor.

We all pitched in and helped with the annual Oompah. Beverley Gerdon and Bob Higgs were our candidates for queen and king.

We journeyed to Weber's Gulch for our class picnic and spent the entire day eating pickles and ice cream and racing up and down the hills.

After a summer vacation thirty-three sophomores proudly ascended the stairs to begin the first of their three years in Senior High. Our class officers that year were: Esther Schaller, president; Peggy Hatfield, vice president; and Joyce Evans, secretary-treasurer.

On October 14 these thirty-three unhappy sophs were officially initiated into Senior High by the mighty seniors. We picnicked at Richmond Lake.

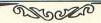
By the time we became juniors, several of our classmates had dropped out and our class enrollment went down to twenty-eight. Our class officers were: Jack Helder, president; Grace Bell, vice president; and Marilyn Neumann, secretary-treasurer. Miss Onsrud was class advisor.

On December 1 we successfully presented the junior class play, "Old Doc".

March 29 brought the Junior Frolics. This rollicking show was entirely under the able juniors' direction.

All of these events led up to the really big show-the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom, which took place May 15. "Hawaiian Cruise" was our theme; and as we stepped off the gangplank of the "E.H.S Cruiser" into Hawaii, we were welcomed by the music of John Taylor's orchestra.

On September 4, 1951, we entered into the doors of E.H.S. to begin our last and most eventful year. We elected as our class officers: Marilyn Neumann, president; Esther Schaller, vice president; and Grace Bell, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Ingvalson was our advisor. This year the class took over the responsibility of editing the Cardinal.



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October 12 brought our first official senior duty-sophomore initiation. Then came the Senior Girls' Speech Program, in which all the senior girls took part.

Teen Canteen was very successful with Marilyn Neumann, president; Lawrence Beaver, vice president; Beverley Gerdon, secretary-treasurer; and Betty Houghton and Roger Kendall as student council members.

During the year the seniors participated in many band, choral, and dramatic activities.

The following seniors were initiated into the Keystone Society: Marilyn Neumann, Grace Bell, Peggy Hatfield, Shirley Vick, and Herbert Wagner. Esther Schaller was initiated in her junior year.

On April 30 we presented our senior class play, "The Imaginary Invalid".

On May 23 we graduated, ending our history in E.H.S.

Now we, the graduates of 1952, would like to express our gratitude for the sympathy, understanding, and help that were given to us by our teachers throughout our twelve years at E.H.S.



Class Prophecy

The calendar said that the year was 1962. It was ten years since the class of \$52 dispersed ways. I wondered what had happened to my old classmates and decided how nice it would be to find out. Going into Ellendale I met two of my former classmates. After telling them of my plan, Kendel Cofell, Lawrence Beaver, and I, Betty Houghton, started out in Kendel's new Rolls Royce to see what the world had done to our classmates.

Kendel's Rolls Royce barely fitted into the metropolis of Winship, but we managed to stop and see Roger Kendall, who is now leader of the Winship first grade rhythm band. Traveling farther south and west our next stop was Cheyenne, Wyoming, where we were attracted by a rancher who looked as if he had gone berserk. Much to our surprise it was Bob Higgs, whose wife had just presented him with a pair of red-headed twins. Unfortunately Bev was still in the hospital and we were unable to see her.

After two flat tires we hit Seattle, and we took an afternoon off to watch TV at one of the local cafes. A handsome, smiling face stared out at us. Who should it be but our ever loving jokester Jack "Hammy" Helder. And get this Jack was announcer for Campbell's Soup!!! The next number on the TV show was Kenny Dockter, who just made a hit with his latest recording, "Bawl".

Leaving TV behind us we strolled out into the streets where we heard cries of "Extra! Extra!" Deciding to spend a nickel, we bought a paper. These headlines struck us: Stanley Kern, head man of the Alcatraz Ball and Chain Gang, had just failed at his last attempt to swim to the main land.

Leaving Stanley to his woe, we moved in on Southern California. As it was such a hot day we went to the beach for a swim. Wasn't that a familiar figure over there? Why it was Herb Wagner modeling men's bathing suits. After a short chat with Herb, we journeyed on.

Our destination was Dallas, Texas, where we met Marilyn Neumann. Famous for her trip to the moon, Marilyn was now preparing for her flight to Mars. By the way, Marilyn had developed a very distinctive Southern accent. She informed us that if we went down to the Power's Department Store, we would find Verna Kosel modeling the "poodle" hair cut.

Motoring on to Tampa, Florida, we found Bob Schonberger lounging in his club. He was slightly down hearted as his eighth wife had just divorced him. Bob had reached fame as an author; his latest book was "How To Keep A Wife".

Going on we cruised by Atlanta, Georgia, where we noticed that the Mrs. America contest was going on. We stopped in time to see our Lorna Maack crowned "Mrs. America". We talked to Lorna for a few minutes and she told us that



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JoAnne Heine is now Al Capp's model for the wolf gal.

Our next stop was the nation's capital where we found Peggy Hatfield as North Dakota's first Lady Senator. Grace Bell was visiting with Peggy. Grace was a famous hillbilly singer on station PU in Tennessee, starring with "The Churchkey Five".

New York was next on our list. Here we found Shirley Vick, the leading romantic actress on Broadway. Shirley informed us that Joyce Evans was her roommate and worked as hostess at the Stork Club. Passing the Madison Square Garden, we decided that as long as we had a few extra minutes we would go in. There we saw Delores Nitschke, who had succeeded Barbara Ann Scott as figure skating champion.

Traveling on to Boston, we stopped at Vassar College, where we saw a familiar figure on the campus. It was none other than Norman Aman, who was professor of mathematics at the college. We talked with "First" for a few minutes before we started on our way to South Bend, Indiana. Here we found Don McShane, who is coaching football at Notre Dame. By the way Don talked, he was trying to raise his own football team.

Homeward bound we stopped in Chicago for supper at the "Argon", where we found Alfred Trautman. "Alfy", turning to music for his career, had succeeded Ralph Flanagan. Traveling farther west, we came to Minnesota, where we found Esther Schaller Griffin. After tiring of sailing the wide blue yonder, she and Marvin settled down to farming.

We hated to think of our trip ending, but we were now on our way home. We left Kendel in Aberdeen where he has succeeded his father-in-law as manager of the Capitol Lounge. After our long, but wonderful trip, Fat and I were happy to see Ellendale. Fat rushed right down to the Thompson Yards Lumber Company, which he now runs, to complete another baby crib--not for sale. He and Marilyn have quite a going concern. Now, thinking it was time to go home, who did I see but Newt Davis. Newt is now farming his father's place and has become very successful. The trip was now over, but our minds were still on our old classmates. Somehow we would see each other again soon.

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Class Will

We, the Seniors of Ellendale High School, being of superior minds and possessing excellent physically fit bodies, do hereby will our glorious attributes to those who shall remain after our departure to brighter horizons.

Article I

To the juniors, we leave our full and uncontrolled use of the supply room and our severe cases of senioritis.

Article II

To the sophomores, we leave our characteristic wanderings through the halls of this haven of learning and a memory of our might as demonstrated on your initiation day.

Article III

To the freshmen, we leave our studious attitude and our records in extra-curricular activities.

Article IV

To the faculty, we wish to Leave a bright and shining memory of us and our deeds.

Article V

We, the twenty-five seniors, bestow our individual bequests as follows:

- I, Norman Aman, leave my German accent to my sister, Mavis, hoping she will improve it.
- I, Lawrence Beaver, leave my fickle nature to Marilyn Hagel.
- I, Grace Bell, leave my operatic records to Karen McShane to jitterbug to.
- I, Kendal Cofell, leave my correspondence courses to James Billey as I'm sure he'll need the credits to graduate.
- I, Newton Davis, leave my Chevrolet to Mr. Shelver to be scientifically studied in comparison with his mighty Hudson.
- I, Kenneth Docktor, leave my math course at the NI to LaVerne Burlingame.
- I, Joyce Evans, leave my wit and humor to Kay Crabtree.



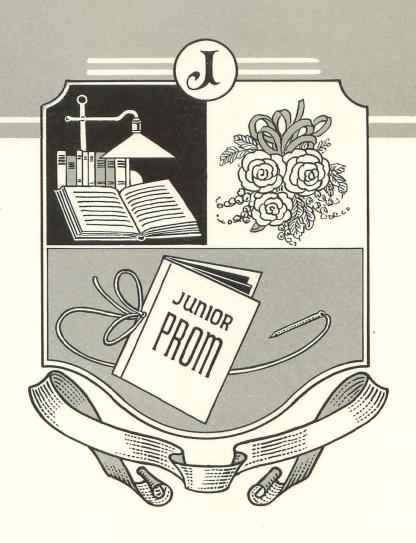
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- I, Beverley Gerdon, leave my red skirts to Patsy Fradet to go with her red hair.
- I, Peggy Hatfield, leave my unused arguments to anyone who can handle them.
- I, Jack Helder, leave my soup recipes to the home economics department.
- I, JoAnne Heine, leave my friendly "Hi"'s to Marlene Schaller.
- I, Bob Higgs, leave my extensive wardrobe to Myron Gerdon to supplement his own.
- I, Betty Houghton, leave my determined ways to Blondell Zimmerman.
- I, Roger Kendall, leave my impersonations to the junior class to use in their class play next year.
- I, Stanley Kern, leave my nickname, "Stub" to Eddie Nishek, as I seem to have outgrown it.
- I, Verna Kosel, leave my long tresses to Luella Hall to protect her ears from next year's chilling winds.
- I. Don McShane, leave my fighting spirit in football to Lorne Bobbe.
- I, Lorna Maack, leave my matronly roles in class plays to Evelyn Fleming.
- I, Marilyn Neumann, leave my ability to go to Aberdeen during school hours to Joan Retzlaff.
- I, DeLores Nitschke, leave my quiet and reserved nature to Doug Bell for obvious reasons.
- I, Esther Schaller, leave my coquettish ways to my sister, Harriet, to carry on where I left off.
- I, Bob Schonberger, leave my miniature pipe to Calvin Vick, to blow soap bubbles with.
- I, Alfred Trautman, leave my odd-jobs around school to Ned Leiby.
- I, Shirley Vick, leave my Rogues gallery to Dulcie Bell.
- I, Herbert Wagner, leave my scholastic record to Virgil DeWald.

Baccalaureate Sunday, May 18, 1952

Yvonne Hatlestad
Hymn: Dear Lord and Father of Mankind
Selections: Beautiful Saviour (Arr. F.M. Christiansen) H. S. Lord to Thee Our Hearts Are Raised (Glinka-Tkach) Chorus Mr. Winton S. Melby, Director
Sermon
Hymn: Faith of Our Fathers
Recessional
Commencement
Friday, May 23, 1952
Processional
Presentation of Colors
Star Spangled Banner
Selections: Dedication (Franz-Daggett) Lift Thine Eyes (Mendelssohn)
Talks: What Have We Gained From a High School Education John C. Helder, Elizabeth Houghton
Selection: One World (O'Hara-Bartton) Mixed Chorus Mr. Winton S. Melby, Director
Address:
Presentation of Class
Conferring of Diplomas
America



JUNIORS





<u>lst Row:</u> Mavis Aman, Douglas Bell, Dulcie Bell, James Billey, Lorne Bobbe, and LaVerne Burlingame.

2nd Row: Constance Eurow, Wayne Cherney, Dawn Combellick, Jean Dobler, Gary Edwards, and Evelyn Fleming.

3rd Row: LaVerne Gerling, Marilyn Hagel, Luella Hall, Yvonne Hatlestad, Angela Heine, and Frank Heitman.

Lith Row: JoAnne Kirmis, Petty Olson, Carolyn Pierce, Raymond Pomplun, DeForest Rall, and Elden Reinke.

Junior Class 1952

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1st Row: Joan Retzlaff, Darlene Rexinger, Avis Roeszler, Norman Stahlecker, Loren
Tiegs, and Deloris Wagner.

2nd Row: Dora Wecker, Norman West, and Marion Zinter.

Junior Events

September 4th, 1951 rolled around, and thirty-four bright-eyed juniors took their proud positions two rows from the windows in Senior High.

Through the year the junior class sponsored a bake sale, a candy sale, sold Christmas cards, and ran a concession stand at the basketball games.

Under the direction of Miss Consrud, the juniors presented the three act comedy, "Napolean Junior" on December 6th, 1951. The play was entertaining and financially successful.

On March 21, 1952 the class rings came. The juniors proudly wear them and now wait patiently for the day when they can turn their rings around and be full-fledged graduates of Ellendale High School.

On May 7th, 1952 came the climax of the year's work-the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom. "Destination Moon" was the theme and the big gym was romantically arrayed in different shades of blue and silver with red accents. John Taylor and his orchestra provided the music.

Junior class officers this year were: Angela Heine, president; Constance Burow, vice-president; Dawn Combellick, secretary; and Marion Zinter, treasurer. Douglas Bell was class reporter. Miss Onsrud, as class advisor, guided us through a very big and successful year.







SOPHOMORES

Sophomore Class 1952



lst Row: Shirley Aberle, Beth Ashmore, William Bartels, Laurence Barton, Charles Bergland, Betty Brandenburger. 2nd Row: Emil Cherney, Calvin Dathe, Darlene Dathe, Anna Mae Davis, Katherine Dobler, Lowell Edwards. 3rd Row: Larry Gatz, LaVetta Gerling, LaVanna Gerling, Larry Hagen, Shirley Hill, Yvonne Hillius. hth Row: Robert Jury, Donna Mae Kelly, Jerry Lautt, Ned Leiby, Robert Lein, Mary Ann McClellan. 5th Row: Karen McShane, Loretta Meidinger, Harriet Mock, Marlene Morgan, John Mouw, Delbert Nelson.

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1st Row: Keith Noess, Carmen Phillips, Barbara Pomplun, Wilma Radke, Bernard Rowe, and Marlene Schaller.

2nd Row: Robert Schaller, Harriet Schaller, Harlen Stahlecker, Gary Stucker, LaPalma Tiegs, and Jack Van Sickle

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3rd Row: Adeline Veland, Larry Wilbur, JoAnn Woodward, Blondell Zimmerman, and Melvin Zinter.

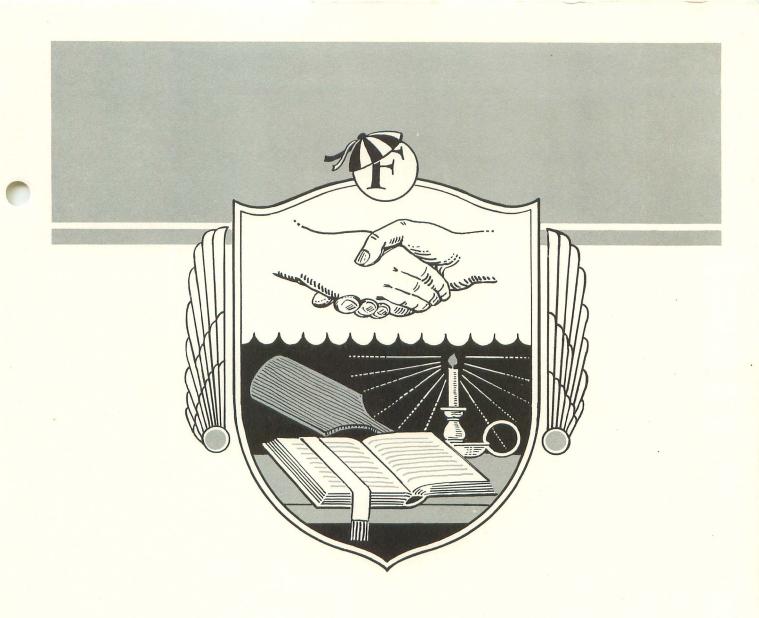
Sophomore Events

Forty-nine timid sophomores moved into Senior High on September 4th, 1952. They became official members September 8th by undergoing the initiation given by the mighty seniors of 152.

On December 18th the sophs held a Christmas party. They also launched a Valentine's party for all of Senior High.

The class officers for the year were: Delbert Nelson, president; Lowell Edwards, vice-president; Harlen Stahlecker, treasurer; and Blondell Zimmerman, secretary. Beth Ashmore was elected class reporter. The class advisor was Mr. Shelver.

After laboring hard all year, the sophomores are looking forward to next year when they, too, can pick up some of the reins of the school.



FRESHMEN















































1st Row: Donald Anderson, Margaret Ashmore, Patricia Ashmore, Patrick Ashmore, Melvin Avery, and Marvin Babcock.

2nd Row: Reinhold Bernhagen, James Brandenburger, Richard Burow, Kay Crabtree, Virgil DeWald, and Lloyd Erdelt.

Pattsy Fradet, Kenneth Franz, Myron Gerdon, Joanne Gesme, Marjorie 3rd Row: Gress, and Paul Hagel.

Viola Hiepler, Bertha Huse, Beatrice Kelly, Dennis Mattheis, Kenneth Mattheis, and Delyne Miedinger. 4th Row:

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1st Row: Alvin Nicholson, Edward Nishek, Lorraine Pompoun, Mildred Fomplun, Karl Rekow, and Randolph Rime.

2nd Row: Lee Roeszler, Marilyn Rowe, Leona Schaller, Dick Schonberger, Helen Sharp, and John Uecker.

3rd Row: Calvin Vick, Leonard Wahl, Allen Wedell, and Carolyn Zinter.
Not pictured: Michael Maumu

Freshman Events

The opening of school saw 40 green, but eager, freshmen ready to begin their first year of high school.

They elected Dick Schonberger class president. The second semester a committee took the place of class officers. The members of the committee were: Donald Anderson, chairman; Myron Gerdon; Margaret Ashmore; Michael Maunu; and James Brandenburger. Mr. Johnson acted as class advisor. Marie Kangus, the freshman cheerleader, moved to another town, and Margaret Ashmore and May Crabtree took their positions as cheerleaders.

The freshmen sponsored a party and invited the 3th grade. They made plans for another party, but they had to postpone it because of bad weather. They saved their money and had a big class picnic at the end of their first wonderful year in E.H.S.



HONORS



Honor Society

Membership in Keystone is based on four qualities: scholarship, leadership, character, and service. All students inducted into this society are members for life, or as long as they fulfill the requirements.

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Ellendale High School's Keystone Society was organized in 1929; to date there are a total of one hundred and fifty members.

Esther Schaller became a member in her junior year, and Marilyn Neumann, Grace Bell, Shirley Vick, Peggy Hatfield, and Herbert Wagner became members in their senior year.

Angela Heine and James Billey of the junior class were inducted this year.



Honors and Awards

Music Lyres: Robert Higgs, Stanley Kern, Alfred Trautman.

Music Pins: Roger Kendall.

Band Medals: Norman Aman, Grace Bell, Joyce Evans, JoAnne

Heine, Betty Houghton, Roger Kendall, Lorna

Maack, Marilyn Neumann, Esther Schaller,

Robert Schonberger, Shirley Vick.

Twirling Pins: Esther Schaller, Betty Houghton, Shirley Vick.

Cheerleading

Letters: Marilyn Neumann, Peggy Hatfield, Roger Kendall.

Reader's Digest

Subscription: Marilyn Neumann

Danforth Award: Kenneth Dockter and Betty Houghton.

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Award: Jack Helder

State Bar Associa-

tion Award: Kenneth Dockter

Babe Ruth Sports-

manship Award: Marilyn Neumann and Robert Higgs.

All Around Student: Stanley Kern

Dramatics: Jack Helder Achievement: DeLores Nitschke

Projectionist: Herbert Wagner Service: JoAnne Heine

Beverley Gerdon

Highest Scholastic

Standing: Marilyn Neumann and Peggy Hatfield.



ACTIVITIES



Members of the band are as follows: Flute: J. Evans. Clarinets: E. Schaller, S. Vick, K. Crabtree, B. Houghton, J. Heine, D. Nelson, N. Pierce, D. Bell, A. Hill, G. Clarke, J. Olson, S. Oxenrider, E. Edwards. Saxophone: L. Hall, J. Lautt, C. Pierce. Cornet: R. Schonberger, H. Sharp, M. McClellan, R. Schaller, M. Crabtree, D. Anderson, C. Stephens. Trombone: J. Billey, N. Aman, A. Roeszler, A. Heine, L. Crabtree, L. McClellan. Baritone: G. Bell, J. Zimmerman. Bass Horn: R. Kendall, C. Vick. French Horn: C. Bergland. Percussion: M. Neumann, L. Maack, H. Schaller, B. Zimmerman. Director: Mr. Winton Melby.

The Ellendale High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Winton Melby, furnished music for all of the home basketball and football games and gave two concerts. The first was a benefit program to help defray hospital expenses for Bob Higgs, who was injured in football. The second was a short concert preceding the one-act play, "The Forgotten Man". The band also took part in the N. I. music festival.

BAND FESTIVAL

The big event of the year was the ELOE band festival held in Oakes on April 4. The bands from Edgeley, LaMoure, Oakes, and Ellendale, made up the festival band, which was directed by A.L. Fromke of Valley City State Teachers College. The program was as follows:

America							
Military Escort				 	 		Bennett
Olympia Overture .			•	 	 		· · · Zamecnic
Trombone Solo				 	 		• • • • Oakes
Flute and Clarinet	Duet			 	 		Edgeley
Merry Widow				 	 	Te	hae -Arr. Yoder
In The Cathedral .			• (Frangkiser
March Salutation .		• •		 	 		Seitz
Flute Solo				 	 		Lalloure
Brass Sextet				 	 		Ellendale
Iron Count			•	 	 		King
Tea For Two				 	 	Yo	umans-Arr. Yoder
March Militaire				 	 	. Shube	rt-Arr.Chenette
Star Spangled Banne	en.			 	 		Smith

Mixed Chorus



Bottom Row, L. to R.: Mr. Winton Melby, Director, A. Heine, G. Bell, S. Vick, J. Evans, Y. Hatlestad, C. Pierce, L. Maack, B. Gerdon, B. Zimmerman, L. Tiegs, A. Roeszler, A. Veland, D. Bell, B. Ashmore, J. Woodward, and D. Rexinger. Second Row: E. Schaller, S. Hill, M. Gress, D. Combellick, J. Dobler, M. Hagel, S. Aberle, M. Aman, V. Hiepler, H. Sharp, K. McShane, K. Crabtree, J. Retzlaff, M. McClellan, L. Schaller, and M. Morgan. Third Row: J. Kirmis, P. Hatfield, H. Stahlecker, R. Schaller, R. Kendall, P. Hagel, D. Bell, R. Rime, C. Bergland, D. Nelson, J. Lautt, N. Leiby, H. Schaller, Y. Hillius. Top Row: J. Billey, K. Cofell, J. Helder, W. Bartels, N. Stahlecker, N. West, R. Schonberger, D. Anderson, J. Brandenburger, L. Tiegs, N. Aman, D. Mattheis, B. Schonberger, A. Trautman, B. Higgs, and S. Kern.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The annual Christmas program was presented on December 20, 1952, by the grade and high school choruses.

The high school chorus was under the direction of Mr. Winton Melby and Mrs. Anna Mae Hill had charge of the grade music. Accompanists were Esther Schaller and Kay Crabtree.

Staging and decorating were in charge of the following faculty members: Mrs. Opal Brouillard, Miss Ruby Schauer, Mrs. Gladys Vick, Miss Karen Anderson, and Mr. Clifford Isachsen.

Prelude				
Processional (O Come All Ye Fai	thful)			• • • • Grand Chorus
Praise Ye The Lord				Grand Chorus
Silent Night				
The Friendly Beasts				
Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming				
When Night Hung Low				
Sing We Noel				
Lullaby On Christmas Eve	• • •	• •	• • •	Wind Chame
And There Were Shepherds				
Christmas Story				Marilyn Neumann
It Came Upon The Midnight Clear				Audience and Chorus
Christmas Everywhere				Seventh Grade
Lullaby For Mary's Son				Chorus
The First Christmas Carol				Eighth Grade
Winter Wonderland				All Grades
From Heaven Above				
Beautiful Savior				
Let Heav'n And Nature Sing	• • •	• •	• • •	Command Change
Dec near it and haute bills.	• • •	• •	• • •	o o o o o Grand Chorus
Recessional (Joy To The World).		• •		Grand Chorus

CHORAL FESTIVAL

The annual choral festival was held in Edgeley on May 2. For the twentieth consecutive year, the choruses from Edgeley, LaMoure, Oakes, and Ellendale, were under the direction of Hywell C. Roland. Mr. Roland was presented with a memorial book, containing letters and names of former participants, in appreciation of his work with the chorus. The program was as follows:

America	• • • • • • • • •
I Love Life	Oscar J. Fox Mana & Zucca Ray Kingwald
Beautiful Dreamer	Niles and Horton Foster and Wick Rodgers GIRLS: CHORUS
Roadways	
Nocturne	
Star Spangled Barmer	

Senior Play

"The Imaginary Invalid", a three-act comedy-drama, was presented by the senior class on April 30, 1952.

The play centered around Argon, the imaginary invalid, who thinks he has diseases too numerous to mention. His wife is trying to get all his money from him, and his doctors add to his woe by dreaming up new diseases for him every time he thinks he has a headache. Finally, Argon wakes up to the fact that he really isn't an invalid, and decides to become a doctor, to try to help people like himself, who think they are going to die any minute, yet aren't really ill.

The play was written by Moliere, the greatest French playwrite of the seventeenth century. Much credit should be given to the director, Miss Mina C. Onsrud, who through her hard work made this production possible.

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Junior Play

"Napoleon, Junior", a three act-comedy, was presented by the junior class on December 6, 1951.

The play centered around Henderson Ruggles, who is in the contracting business. He is meek and unassuming in his ways, and his family takes great advantage of this, keeping him on the verge of bankruptcy. Action begins when Henderson realizes that he has the spirit of Napoleon in him, and assuming the role of dictator, he finally establishes himself as head of the family.

CAST

Play Festival

The seventeenth annual Play Festival was held Monday evening, March 3, in the LaMoure Community Building at LaMoure. The senior class and one member of the fourth grade represented the Ellendale High School in presenting a one-act drama entitled "The Forgotten Man" by Jewell Bothwell Tull.

The play centers around the Man, the Christ spirit, who helps a poor little Jewish orphan find a home among a group of church members.



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Those	in the cast were:
111026	John Benson, a minister Robert Higgs
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	Henry Lambert, a church member Newton Davis
	Toma Waark
	Mrs. Lambert, his wife Lorna Maack
	Helen Mills, the organist Esther Schaller
	Helen Milis, the Organist
	Peter, the janitor Jack Helder
	Tevery Water January Company
	Judith, the orphan Mary Elaine Crabtree
	The Man
	The Man

Speech Festival

The nineteenth annual Speech Festival was held at the high school auditorium Tuesday, March 11. The following numbers were presented by Ellendale High School:

Verse Choir Junior and Sophomore Girls Oration, "Freedom's Open Door" (original). Peggy Hatfield Selected Verse Readings Grace Bell

Refreshments were served to the group and Mrs. Clara Ingvalson of the NI Speech Department served as critic.

Senior Girls' Speech Program

The girls of the senior class presented their program on October 11 at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. It was directed by Miss Mina C. Onsrud. The program was as follows:

CAST

Joyce Evans Verna Kosel DeLores Nitschke

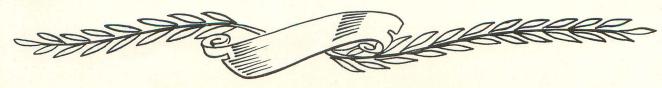
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JoAnne Heine Shirley Vick Betty Houghton



Cheer Leaders

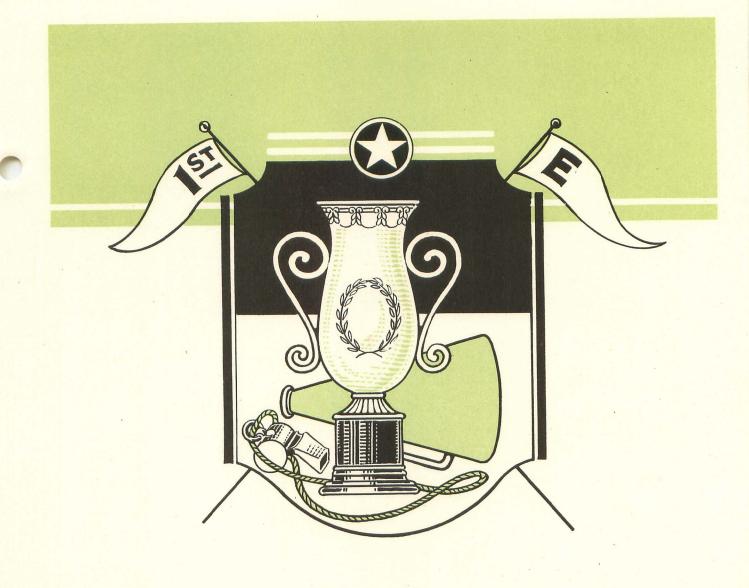


Douglas Bell, Marilyn Neumann, Roger Kendall, Peggy Hatfield, and Loren Tiegs

Twirling Team



Dulcie Bell, Jean Dobler, Marilyn Hagel, Anna Mae Davis, Angela Heine, Majorette Esther Schaller, Grace Bell, Betty Houghton, Bartara Pomplun, Betty Olson, Luella Hall, and Mavis Aman. Not pictured: Marian Zinter.



ATHLETICS

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Top row, left to right: Norman Aman*, student manager, Mr. Loren Johnson, assistant coach, Herbert Wagner*, Kendel Cofell*, Stanley Kern*, James Billey*, Ned Leiby, and Coach Clifford Isachsen. Middle Row: Myron Gerdon, Calvin Dathe*, DeForest Rall*, Don McShane*, Jack Helder*, Raymond Pomplun*, Elden Reinke*, and Lawrence Beaver*. Bottom Row: Bobby Schaller, Wayne Cherney*, Randy Rime*, Robert Jury*, Melvin Avery, Monty Cofell, and Harlen Stahlecker*. Not pictured: Bob Higgs*, Newton Davis*, Gary Edwards*, Frank Heitman*, and Norman Stahlecker*.

* Received letters in 1951

1951 Football History

During the first week of school the football boys, under Coach Clifford Isachsen, eagerly set to work with hard grueling practices, in preparation for their initial game of the 1951 season. The team selected Bob Higgs and Don McShane as their co-captains.

The first game of the season saw the Cardinals appear on their field against the Enderlin Eagles, who handed the Cards a 19 to 9 defeat. It was during this game that Bob Higgs was seriously injured, resulting in a serious operation and hospitalization for eight weeks.

The Oakes Tornadoes, our traditional rivals, journeyed to Ellendale for the next game of the season. Playing on their home field, the Cards handed the Tornadoes a 27 to 0 defeat.

In their last home game, the Cards met the ever-strong Lisbon team, who made the Redbirds bow with a 27 to 6 victory for the Bronchos.

The following week the Cards journeyed to Edgeley, where Ellendale was out-scored by the Rangers, 13 to 6.

The LaMoure Loboes, the conference charps, were Ellendale's opponents in the final game of the season. The Cards gave way to a 30 to 0 defeat.

During the 1951 season, the injury riddled Cardinals only managed to win their one game, but the success or failure of a football season is not altogether determined upon the number of games won, but rather upon the moral and sportsmanship of the team. In this respect the 1951 football season was a highly successful one for the Ellendale Cardinals.

The football banquet was given on Tuesday, December 11 by the football mothers. Mr. Ingvalson acted as Master of Ceremonies and Wayne Hill was guest speaker. At the banquet Gary Edwards and Frank Heitman were elected co-captains for the 1952 season.



Top row, left to right: Stanley Kern, student manager*, Robert Jury, Bernard Rowe, Ned Leiby*, Herbert Wagner*, Richard Schonberger*, and Coach Isachsen. Bottom Row: Lawrence Beaver*, Don McShane*, Kenneth Dockter*, Harlen Stahlecker*, and Norman Stahlecker*.

* Received letters.

The success of the 1951-52 Ellendale basketball team has not been measured by wins and losses. The team gained six victories, but each game was a success for the team, because they displayed the sportsmanship and courtesy which our whole high school can be proud.

Kulm took first place in the conference, while Lisbon and Enderlin took top honors in the District Tournament, which was held at Lisbon on March 6th,7th, and 8th. The Cards dropped to 7th place in the tournament. They were handicapped by the loss of two of their regulars.

The cheering squad did a fine job of supporting its team all during the season. The cheering was loud and strong even when the team lost.

Our hats are off to the 1951-52 basketball team, coach, student manager, and cheering squad.

The season's schedule and scores are as follows:

Ellendale	36	Britton	37	KULM TOURNAMENT	
11	28	Edgeley	32	Ellendale 37 Kulm	62
11	37	Enderlin	44	" 54 Edgeley	38
11	29	Lisbon	47		
n	57	Oakes	39		
11	29	St. John's	41	DISTRICT TOURNAMENT	
11	28	Edmore	39	Ellendale 39 Edgeley	57
11	52	LaMoure	46	" 31 LaMoure	35
11	26	Kulm	56		
11	33	Enderlin	68		
11	28	Lisbon	55		
11	37	Oakes	54		
11	50	Streeter	46	Ellendale (total points)	772
11	52	LaMoure	40	Opponents (total points)	857
11	53	Edgeley	48	Ellendale (average points)	38.6
tt	46	Kulm	65	Opponents (average points)	42.8

1951 Track Team

The track prospects at Ellendale were again very favorable. The nucleus of the squad was composed of five returning lettermen: Dan Slemmons, Bob Higgs, Gary Edwards, Wayne Cherney, and Bruce Edwards. The remainder of the squad was rounded out with six other bright prospects: Don McShane, Jack Helder, Bruce Beaver, Harlen Stahlecker, Larry Hagen, and Raymond Pomplun. This year, as last, we had one of the state's best relay teams.

The team took part in three meets last spring. They were as follows: The N.I. Invitational, in which they took second; the district meet at Jamestown, and the State meet at Valley City.

Volley Ball



Top Row: Betty Brandenburger, LaPalma Tiegs, Connie Burow, Joan Retzlaff, Loretta Meidinger, and JoAnn Heine. Middle Row: Miss Ruby Schauer, coach, Miss Delyne Edwards, assistant coach, Dawn Combellick, JoAnne Kirmis, Angela Heine, Evelyn Fleming, and Mrs. Senn Slemmons, coach. Bottom Row: Esther Schaller, Karen McShane, Marilyn Neumann, captain, Shirley Vick, and Grace Bell.

The girls' volleyball team played games with Edgeley and Oakes before they took part in the third annual Girls' Volleyball Tournament, which was held at Edgeley on March 25, 1952. LaMoure took first place by defeating Ellendale in the finals. Oakes and Edgeley took third and fourth places respectively.

A traveling trophy was purchased by the ELOE Association, which sponsored the tournament.

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Way Back When



Jake



Cupid Higgs



Doug



Betty Peq Grace Lorna



Roger + Kendel



JoHnne Marilyn Peggy





Polly fat



BETTY



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Why so sad, Jake?



Wow! PEq!



Sweet Betty



Marilyn - Harrist





Peg, Fat, Marilyn



Bob + Doug



Lorna



Mammy Gerdon



Louella

Bob + Don



Masstero Melby and His Brood

Band - 8:15 A.M.



Betty and Grace



Beth and Normie



Hold it, Bev!



LaVerne+ Grace - ???



Nature's Ways



Verna, Rosella, De Lores



Norman + Bob



Eu + Lorna Posing



Pat, Bob , Curtie



Grace, Shirley, Joyce



Injuns! Les, Kennie, Marilyn, Roger



Marilyn



Marilyn + Bob



Stanley+ Kendel



Marilyn + Jake



Lorna



Grace, Shirley Johnne, + Betty Beu,



Don



Marilyn - !????



Es, Shirley, Marilus, Grace Benead Peq.



Grace - ?????



Bob + BEU



Bicycle Brigade



Fata Marilyn





Cramming, Bob?



Shirley, Marilyn, Pea. Betty



Stanley - Mr. Shelver



BETTY



Coach



Sadie Hawkins Party



Marilyn+Betty, U.S.N.



Grace



Shirley Boyce



Verna + Dora



Verna, DeLores, Beo, Peg-Make-Up Comm.



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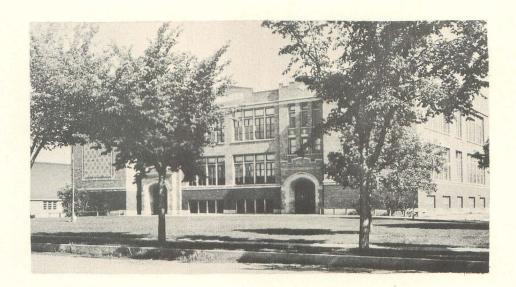


Jeans Joan





Eck!



In Retrospect

We, the graduating class of '52 look back on four, full, and happy years of high school. We now have the privilege of walking down the aisle, with proud parents looking on, to receive our diplomas.

As freshmen, we were green but, oh, so happy and proud. We worked hard and played hard that year, and graduated into senior high.

Being sophomores was even more enjoyable than being freshmen for we sat in the same study hall with the seniors whom we all idolized. Being initiated was a treat never to be forgotten.

Now, as graduating seniors, we proudly take one last look at those four glorious years and then turn our faces toward the future. We feel prepared to meet the future with faith in our country, faith in ourselves, and faith in our Father.

And so, with regret in our hearts and confidence in the future, we say good-bye to EHS where some of our happiest times were spent.







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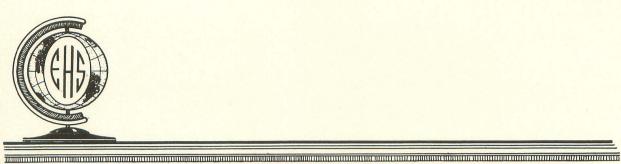


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